

Amendments to the Drawings

Please amend the Drawings, after Figure 4, by adding the attached new Figure 5.

Remarks

Reconsideration of this Application is respectfully requested.

Upon entry of the foregoing amendment, claims 1-14 are pending in the application, with claim 1 being the independent claim. Claims 15-17 have been canceled, without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter therein.

The title is amended to Method for Producing an Electrode for a Capacitor from Foil.

The specification is amended to include FIG. 5 and a description thereof. The specification is also amended to include corrections of typographical errors in the Background of the Invention and Detailed Description of the Invention sections.

These changes are believed to introduce no new matter, and their entry is respectfully requested. Based on the above amendment and the following remarks, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider all outstanding objections and rejections and that they be withdrawn.

Objection to the Title

The Examiner has objected to the title as not reflecting the method invention. (Office Action, pg. 2, paragraph 2). Applicants respectfully disagree. However, in furtherance of prosecution, and not in acquiescence of the objection, Applicants have amended the title as suggested by the Examiner. As such, Applicants respectfully request the withdrawal of this objection.

Objections to the Drawings

The Examiner has objected to the drawings under 37 C.F.R. 1.83(a) as not showing every feature of the invention specified in the claims. (Office Action, pg. 2, paragraph 2). As suggested by the Examiner, Applicants submit herewith a new drawing as FIG. 5 including all the steps of the method in claim 1. Additionally, the specification has been amended to include a description of FIG. 5. Support for this amendment can be found in the specification as filed, for example, claim 1. These changes are believed to introduce no new matter, and their entry is respectfully requested. As such, Applicants respectfully request the withdrawal of this objection.

Allowed and Withdrawn Claims

Applicants note with appreciation that the Examiner has stated that claims 1-14 are allowed. Claims 15-17 had been previously withdrawn from consideration as being drawn to a non-elected invention. The withdrawn claims 15-17 have been canceled, without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter therein, in accordance with *In re Quayle* action, thereby leaving only allowed claims 1-14.

Other Matters

The specification has been amended to include corrections of typographical errors in the Background of the Invention and Detailed Description of the Invention sections. These changes are believed to introduce no new matter, and their entry is respectfully requested.

Conclusion

All of the stated grounds of objection and rejection have been properly traversed, accommodated, or rendered moot. Applicants therefore respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider all presently outstanding objections and rejections and that they be withdrawn. Applicants believe that a full and complete reply has been made to the outstanding Office Action and, as such, the present application is in condition for allowance. If the Examiner believes, for any reason, that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number provided.

Prompt and favorable consideration of this Amendment and Reply is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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